

**SUPREME COURT MINUTES
FRIDAY, APRIL 7, 2000
SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA**

S020670 People, Respondent

v.

Robert Lewis, Jr., Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to and including June 5, 2000.

S026700 People, Respondent

v.

Andrew Lamont Brown, Appellant

On application of respondent and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file respondent's brief is extended to and including June 6, 2000.

S026872 People, Respondent

v.

Alfredo Reyes Valdez, Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to and including May 3, 2000.

S027730 People, Respondent

v.

Maria Del Rosio Alfaro, Appellant

On application of respondent and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file respondent's brief is extended to and including June 2, 2000.

S028970 People, Respondent

v.

Richard Stitely, Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to and including May 4, 2000.

S034473 People, Respondent

v.

Christian Antonio Monterroso, Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to and including June 6, 2000.

S046733 People, Respondent

v.

Gregory Spiros Demetrulias, Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the appellant is granted to and including May 30, 2000, to request correction of the record on appeal. Counsel for appellant is ordered to notify the Clerk of the Supreme Court in writing as soon as the act as to which the Court has granted an extension of time has been completed.

S050583 People, Respondent

v.

Demetrius Charles Howard, Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the appellant is granted to and including June 2, 2000, to request correction of the record on appeal. Counsel for appellant is ordered to notify the Clerk of the Supreme Court in writing as soon as the act as to which the Court has granted an extension of time has been completed.

S082898 In re Tiequon Aundray Cox

on

Habeas Corpus

On application of petitioner and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file petitioner's reply to informal response to the petition for writ of habeas corpus is extended to and including April 24, 2000.

S083381 People, Respondent

v.

Billy Jack Belcher, Appellant

On application of appellant and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file appellant's opening brief is extended to and including April 21, 2000.

- S085035 In re the Accusation of Ali Pascal Mahvi
Against Certain Attorney(s)
On request of respondent State Bar of California and good cause appearing, it is hereby ordered that the time to serve and file the informal response is extended to and including April 24, 2000.
- S085091 Hoechst Celanese Corporation, Appellant
v.
Franchise Tax Board, Respondent
On application of respondent and good cause appearing, it is ordered that the time to serve and file respondent's opening brief on the merits is hereby extended to and including April 21, 2000.
- S085417 In re **Jeffrey Brent Lugash** on Discipline
It is ordered that **Jeffrey Brent Lugash**, State Bar No. 41458, be suspended from the practice of law for six months, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for two years subject to the conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed December 15, 1999. It is further ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar and one-third of said costs shall be added to and become part of the membership fees for the years 2001, 2002 and 2003. (Bus. & Prof. Code section 6086.10.)
- S085421 In re **John Forrest Franklin, II** on Discipline
It is ordered that **John Forrest Franklin, II, State Bar No. 100737**, be suspended from the practice of law for nine months, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for two years subject to the conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed December 20, 1999. It is further ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar and one-quarter of said costs shall be added to and become part of the membership fees for the years 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004. (Bus. & Prof. Code section 6086.10.)

S085422 In re **Arnold Lee Rosen** on Discipline

It is ordered that **Arnold Lee Rosen**, State Bar No. 48572, be suspended from the practice of law for one year, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for three years on condition that he be actually suspended for 30 days. He is also ordered to comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed November 12, 1999, as modified by its order filed November 23, 1999. It is further ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) Costs are awarded to the State Bar and one-half of said costs shall be added to and become part of the membership fees for the years 2000 and 2001.

S085423 In re **Andrew James Prendiville** on Discipline

It is ordered that **Andrew James Prendiville**, State Bar No. 93003, be suspended from the practice of law for one year, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for three years subject to the conditions of probation, including six months actual suspension, recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation executed November 8, 1999, as modified by its order filed November 24, 1999. It is also ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination within one year after the effective date of this order. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) It is further ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar pursuant to Bus. & Prof. Code section 6086.10 and payable in accordance with Bus. & Prof. Code section 6140.7.

*(See Business & Professions Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S085424 In re **Arthur Marvin Melvin** on Discipline

It is hereby ordered that **Arthur Marvin Melvin**, State Bar No. 85173, be disbarred from the practice of law and that his name be stricken from the roll of attorneys. He is also ordered to comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and to perform the acts

specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Business & Professions Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S085433

In re **Benjamin Newton Wyatt, Jr.** on Discipline

It is ordered that **Benjamin Newton Wyatt, Jr., State Bar No. 33214**, be suspended from the practice of law for three years, that execution of suspension be stayed, and that he be placed on probation for five years on condition that he be actually suspended for three years and until he has shown proof satisfactory to the State Bar Court of his rehabilitation, fitness to practice and learning and ability in the general law pursuant to standard 1.4(c)(ii), Standards for Attorney Sanctions for Professional Misconduct; and until he makes restitution to Andre Burroughs (or the Client Security Fund, if appropriate) in the amount of \$5,041.00, plus 10% interest per annum from April 2, 1997, and furnishes satisfactory proof thereof to the Probation Unit, State Bar Office of the Chief Trial Counsel. He is further ordered to comply with the other conditions of probation recommended by the Hearing Department of the State Bar Court in its Order Approving Stipulation filed December 23, 1999. It is also ordered that he take and pass the Multistate Professional Responsibility Examination during the period of his actual suspension. (See *Segretti v. State Bar* (1976) 15 Cal.3d 878, 891, fn. 8.) He is further ordered to comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 30 and 40 days, respectively, after the date this order is effective.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar pursuant to Bus. & Prof. Code section 6086.10 and payable in accordance with Bus. & Prof. Code section 6140.7.

*(See Business & Professions Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S085920

In re **Carl Wiley Sherman** on Habeas Corpus

The resignation of **Carl Wiley Sherman** having been accepted in S087015, this proceeding is dismissed without prejudice to further proceedings should he hereafter seek reinstatement.

S086619

In the Matter of the Resignation of **Michael H. Gottlieb**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Michael H. Gottlieb, #71011** as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice

to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087009 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Robert James Speas**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Robert James Speas, membership number 126360** as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087013 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Noel Stephen Olshan**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Noel Stephen Olshan**, State Bar membership number 62311, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087111 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Jon Eric Hollman**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Jon Eric Hollman, #91996** as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule

within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.*
Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087015 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Carl Wiley Sherman**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Carl Wiley Sherman**, State Bar Membership number 56090, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087116 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Inna Elana Gofman**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Inna Elana Gofman, #152356** as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against her should she hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that she comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that she perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)

S087119 In the Matter of the Resignation of **Daniel Robert Ramirez**
A Member of the State Bar of California

The voluntary resignation of **Daniel Robert Ramirez**, membership number 136667, as a member of the State Bar of California is accepted without prejudice to further proceedings in any disciplinary proceeding pending against him should he hereafter seek reinstatement. It is ordered that he comply with rule 955, California Rules of Court, and that he perform the acts specified in subdivisions (a) and (c) of that rule within 60 and 70 days, respectively, after the date this order is filed.* Costs are awarded to the State Bar.

*(See Bus. & Prof. Code, § 6126, subd. (c).)